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**Michael reels in his fishing line and catches a fish too.**

How do you know this?

**By basing the prediction on how Tracy is successful in catching a fish when she casts her line.**